Resolution No. 157 May 14, 2008

Setting A Public Hearing On Introductory Local Law No. 2 Of 2008 (A Local Law Known As The Ulster County Ethics And Disclosure Law), To Be Held On Wednesday, July 2, 2008 At 6:00 PM

The Laws and Rules Committee (Chairman Bischoff and Legislators Decker, Rodriguez, Shapiro, Cummings, Maloney and Roberts) offers the following:

WHEREAS, a Public Hearing is required to be held regarding Introductory Local Law Number 2 of 2008 (A Local Law Known As The Ulster County Ethics And Disclosure Law), a Public Hearing will be held on Wednesday, July 2, 2008 at 6:00 PM in the Legislative Chambers, Ulster County Office Building, 244 Fair Street, Kingston, New York, and

WHEREAS, the Ways and Means Committee has met and reviewed said request with a majority of the members voting approval.

RESOLVED, said Introductory Local Law Number 2 of 2008 is hereby submitted to the Ulster County Legislature and is hereby tabled pending the holding of a Public Hearing thereon, and

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the Ulster County Legislature is directed to cause a legal notice of said Public Hearing to be published according to law, and

FURTHER RESOLVED, that said Public Hearing will be held on Wednesday, July 2, 2008 at 6:00 PM in the Legislative Chambers, Ulster County Office Building, 244 Fair Street, Kingston, New York,

and moves its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 30 NOES: 2

(NOES: Legislators Roberts and Zimet)

(Absent: Legislator Hansut)

Legislator Bischoff motioned, seconded by Legislator Provenzano, to amend Section IV. STANDARD OF CONDUCT, subsection C): County elected and appointed officials., of the proposed Introductory Local Law No. 2 of 2008 (A Local Law Known As The Ulster County Ethics And Disclosure Law), to read as follows:

"C. County elected and appointed officials. No elected County-wide official, or any County Department Head, or any County Commissioner or Chairperson of

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any County Committee, Commission or Board, with the exception of the Board of Elections Commissioners, shall hold the office of Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson, Secretary, Treasurer or their reasonable equivalent in any Federal, State, or County Political Committee".

MOTION ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 27 NOES: 5

(NOES: Legislators Kraft, R.A. Parete, Rodriguez,

Terpening and Zimet)

(Absent: Legislator Hansut)

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